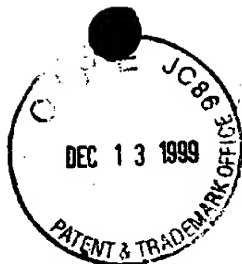


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Application No.: 09/401,660) Group Art Unit: 2872
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**ATTENTION: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION, SPECIAL
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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED mailed October 12, 1999, enclosed please find an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney form, together with the surcharge fee of \$130.00. Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED.

The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is attached for that purpose.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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